Lost child

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Summary: the lone survivor of the Dawn of Hope, was raised by the ship's A.I. and growing up as a hunter on a world with a high gravity field made him a strong survivor, but when the UNSC finds him and take him to Earth but now he has trouble surviving with the rest of humanity, until he found the Arena. there he make friends and meets a sangheili who's trying to prove herself to her father

1. Chapter 1

CH_1 - Another Day in Paradise

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Aboard the Dawn of Hope a Marathon class heavy cruiser, all seemed lost as they were continuing to take fire from the plasma cannons of a Covenant destroyer. Commander Cole has issued his last order to prepare for a crash landing, as a massive gravity field has been detected ahead and their engines had taken enough damage that they couldn t avoid the planet ahead even if they wanted to. All decks had received massive damage, there had power loss in most areas of the ship and about of 90% of the crew were dead or dying. The A.I. cores was still online and was trying to keep the ship together long enough to make a soft crash on the planet that was coming closer every moment. The next shot they receive was there last remaining gun battery and it went up with a huge light show and a loud boom, apparently the commander of the Covenant ship thought that they were done for, so he left them to crash on the planet. And crash they did, as a result all had died with the exception of a half of a dozen souls. Slowly they died off one by one but not before one little boy was born and just before his mother died she spoke to the A.I. and asked it to take care of her son.

18 years later

A figure clover in a leather cloak stained, dark green cargo paints, a black shirt old military boots and heavy duty gloves, all with the

stains of dirt and a faint shade of blue blood, it sat on top of a tree branch staring at a creature down below, and the creature looked like a deer with four eyes and with green fur. The deer stood still as it was eating the plants that grow around the tree the figure was sitting in; the figure sat motionless holding two daggers made from another creature s large claws. The figure sat waiting for the deer to turn around and after thirty minutes the creature turned its back to the figure. Then figure fall from the branch strait to the deer driving the two daggers in to the creature. It screamed in pain and tried to run forcing the daggers to rip through the creature, one stayed in and the other came loss and came out. The figure fall off the creature and ran after it still holding the dagger that came lose, the injured creature sprayed blue blood all over the plants and the tree, making to easy the follow. After two minutes the creature fell to the ground, the figure walked up to the dying creator kneeled over grabbed the dagger still in the creator and pulled it out, the dying creature tried to scream but began to chock on its own blood. The figure placed the dagger bottom of the throat and slid the dagger through the skin and with a jerk the creature died.

It took the figure thirty four minutes to skin then harvests the meat from the creature. He shoved the meat in to a bag hidden under its clock, then the figure hear a snapping sound from behind, it spawn around gripping the daggers and held both in a offence and defiance stains. There in front of the figure were three wolves like creatures two were still pups and the third stood in front of the little ones, the larger one seemed to be the mother and the smaller ones were its pups. The figure slowly started to move away from his kill and after it was six feet away the wolves moved in and began to eat what meat was left. It simply stood there watching, after a minute it walked away. The figure walk strait towards a large dark structure off in the distance, the sun began to set when the figure reached the large dark structure; it was a UNSC Marathon-class heavy cruiser. The figure walked over to an air lock close to the ground that was partially opened and the figure placed it hands in the gap and forced it open. With a grinding and screeching sound it slowly opened. The figure walked in and forced closed the doors. It walked through the ships darkened halls over and under beams, cables, wires, and other forms of wreckage then entering the AI core room.

Along the walls stood the memory severs and processors and in the center a single AI projector and a mobile projector wired up to the AI projector. I m back from the hunter everyone. The figure said in a dark but young voice as it removed its hood revealing a young man's face, he had tan shin, short dark brown hair and emerald green eye, running down from his right eye down to his chin was a thick scar, and two figures appeared on the projectors one female and male. The female was an average looking adult with short hair and warn a shirt and jeans, the male was more like a drill sergeant, how was the hunt Kurt? the female replied it went well Jade, but I only had time for one kill. Kurt answered, One? Your losing your touch boy, do I have to start catching your food now. The male AI says in playful manure, Daemon, you won t last five minutes of there, they ll have you for an afternoon snack. Kurt replied, Daemon shook his head ouch, I may be an AI but that still hurts. You asked for it. Jade shot at Daemon, I m going to put the meat up before it goes bad. Kurt said as he walked out of the room.

Kurt walked through the door and began heading to the mess hall, when he entered the mess hall most of the tables were piled up in the

center of the room only one was placed in the far corner next to kitchen. He walked over to the kitchen and jumped over the counter, as he walked over to the freezer he removed the pack that had the meat inside it. Kurt opened the freezer then pulled out the meat and placed it inside; after the new meat was in place he grabbed the last frozen piece of meat. Kurt I ve check our herb, root and other medical supplies. Daemon called from one of the few working speakers on the ship, I m guessing we re low. Kurt shouted so the microphones could hear him, Yes, we need 12 green tipped red bush, 35 yellow bloom, 42 yellow berry, 83 C2-J6 and 15 E-83, plus all the roots have gone bad the AI replayed, Kurt walked over to oven turned it on to high grabbed a pan and dropped the meat in it then set the pan and the oven and told himself, Another day in paradise. After the meat finished cooking Kurt placed the meat on a tray and grabbed a fork and started eating at the table. I get started tomorrow morning.

2. Ch 2 The Harvest

Ch.2 - The Harvest

Kurt awoke with the feeling of the world pressing down on him as he stared at his collection of small photos that showed other placed far away off world like a bleach with a whale jumping out of the water or mountain view of a forest during a sun set, after rowing over and falling out of bed he notated the walls and ceiling made creaking sounds. "Fuck, it's that time of year again" he grunted, as he remembered once every year the planets gravity increases heavily but he could grow up in heavy gravity so he was still able to move around but it took Kurt a few minutes to gain his bearings. As soon he gained his bearings put on his pack and cloak then holstered his daggers then he walked out of his room. The hallways were in ruin the beams hinged out of the ceiling; panels had fallen to the ground, and every step creaked. It took him twice as long to reach AI core room, because he had to avoid the weaker hallways. When he finally reached the AI core room he had to pray open the doors so he could enter. Kurt walked over to the projector, "Are you holding up alright?" Kurt asked the AI's then waited for a responds, "Yes were good" Daemon answered from the speakers without projecting his avatar, Kurt stared at were the avatar should be "is something wrong, you're not appearing on the projector." "The increase gravity is affecting the equipment and we can use our avatars." Jade replied. "Will you be alright while I'm out collecting the plants?" Kurt asked as he repositioned his pack. Daemon only replied "yes" "alright then, I'm off." Kurt told them as he hooded his head and walked out of the room.

After two hours of walking through the endless forest, picking leaves, stems and digging up roots. As he was walking through the forest he could feel his gut instinct tell him some one was watching him, he slowly turn around, he found nothing awaiting him. "That's odd, normally there something there." He thought to himself, as he continues his search for the herbs and roots. he began thinking of what he needed, he still needed 10 yellow bush, 5 more C2-J6, 14 E-83 and 20 more yellow berry, then he had to get the roots. After he finished going over what he needed he noticed a yellow berry bash, it looked like bashes in the pictures he saw of earth but the berries were yellow and had a sour taste with a sweet after affect. As he was harvesting the plant he felt an attack coming from behind him, he

dove to the left, draw his daggers and saw a large creature that had the shape of a bear with a wolf head and thick hardened skin acting as armor all over it body. Kurt was shaken as he remembered fight one of these beasts, back then he had the element of surprise, but the beast was to strange and his dagger couldn't cut through its armored skin, and he barely got out alive. Kurt quickly jumped back and climbed the nearest tree. After he reached a high tree branch he looked down to find the predator was clawing its way up the tree. In terror that such a large animal was climbing the tree. Kurt quickly started jumped across from tree to tree trying to lose the predator, which had given up on the tree but had been chasing him from the bottom of the trees.

Kurt had been trying so hard to loss the beast that he had not kept track of his surroundings, has he kept his paste as he took a quick cheek of his surrounding to realize he was only a few feet from a cliff slide and somehow had been running along the side of it for some time. Kurt was about to stop and to see if the beast had stopped but he could hear the beast smashing through the branches close enough the ground. Kurt continued to jump from branch to branch trying to loose the creature; as it leaped up trying to grab his leg but came short as Kurt grabbed a tree limb and pulled himself up, he stopped for a moment to catch his breath and check on the beat down bellow to find that it was breathing heavily. Seeing that the creature was nearing it limit Kurt began to leap from braches again when a loud boom filled the air like an underground cavern collapsing, the trees shook violently thronging him out of the tree. Kurt hit the ground hard with pain surging through his body he forced him self up on to his feet to face the creature, only to find it had run away as if something was chasing it. He was reveled to see the creature leave and used the chance to take in a deep breath, but as he began to breathe in, he notes the sky had darkened. As Kurt lifted himself up and began checking him self for injures, but as he began he heard another load boom, followed by a rumble in the ground, he quickly turn around drawing both daggers ready to fight but what he found he could have never been ready for.

Sorry for it being short but I wrote this one in the middle of class one day in school

3. Ch 3 Arrival

CH.3 the Arrival

When Kurt turned around what he saw brought terror surging through him, in the sky was a large purple object that was nearly completely covered in flames and was falling through the sky. As the massive fire ball roared through the sky, and make a thundering sound as it crashed into the ground tearing through the earth and sending it high in the air. Kurt found himself running through the forest as fast his body would let him. After what felt like days of running he stopped he scanned his surrounding environment, he couldn't see anything; he even realized that there were no sounds coming from any of the animals. As he stood in the middle of the forest he thought to himself that if that was the ship from mother's stories about the outside, she would tell him about the other world mankind found the things they could do, she had told him about a war between man and a group of other beings that called themselves the Covenant, if it was the Covenant then he needed to get back to the ship and ask for what

he needed to do, and only mother would know what to do.

Kurt ran, through the forest heading straight for his ship, the closer he got the more animals he saw simply trying to hide in what ever offered cover and shelter. He finally reached the ship and it took him a few minutes to find the door, after entering the ship he quickly moved through the hallways. To Kurt it felt as if it took three times as long to get to the A.I. core room. Shortly after entering Daemon appeared, "Kurt what happened, was there an earthquake" he asked in a deeply worried voice. Kurt still out of breath replayed "No ... there was... a ship... large... on fire and... I thank it was the Covenant." Daemon stared at Kurt with terror all over his face, "Jade we have a problem." He called out facing the along the wall severs almost instantly jade asked in a deeply worried tone, "Kurt are you sure about this?" before Kurt could replay daemon shouted at jade, "Of course he's sure, she told him about them!" "I that there were just stories, mother trying to scare me" Kurt told still out of breath but now shock and terrified leaning that the stories of the covenant were true, then he remembered what he would call them when he was young and it didn't help the terror he felt "the world burners."

The fell silent as Daemon and jade spoke to each other in the servers where Kurt couldn't hear them. After a few seconds passed Jade appeared and spoke, "Kurt we need you to get on the roof and open a door." "Wait you want me to get on the roof." Kurt ask in shock knowing the roof always had high wind, "unfortunate yes." she replied, "we need you to get up there and open the doors to the emergency unfortunately relay" "I thought it was destroyed when we crashed" Kurt asked in confusion, "yes but we had a emergency comm. just in case, it was used after the crash then it was put up after use so we could use it later the we lost control of the doors a month ago" Kurt thought to himself that if they had a comm. Then they could get help stop the covenant, ""fuck, then I guess I should hurry up be for our new guest start moving" Kurt told jade, she quickly replied, "yes you should I'll get thing ready here" before heading out Kurt remembered about mother, she had fought them before "what about mother I know she not feeling well but she needs to know" jade seemed to had been cut off guard with his comment, "Daemon is telling mother about what happened"

Jade could see that eased Kurt a bit, "you need to get going, now." "Got it, how do I get the doors upon?" he asked "there's a radio in the panel behind you" jade told Kurt as she pointed to a panel next to the door, Kurt walked over and opened the door, inside was a old radio with a thick layer of dust. Kurt pick up the radio and most of the dust fell off; Kurt took a deep breath and blow the rest of the dust off. The radio was slightly larger than his plum of his hand with a clip on the back, there was even an ear peace hanging off the radio. Jade seemed slightly impatient but calm "Good that piece that's hanging going in your ear like a ear plug" Kurt looked at the radio very closely he seen and mess around broken radios but this one worked and was in one piece. He grabbed the ear peace and carefully slid the old peace ear peace, felt like he had placed a rock in his ear, Jade then ask "alright you see the small switch on the side" Kurt looked at the radio and on the top was the power switch then nodded, "good now turn it on" Kurt turned on the radio, he heard a click sound then after a moment he heard Jade through the ear peace, "can you hear me" "Yes, I can but how do I talk to you though the radio?" Kurt replayed "first clip the radio to you, your belt would

work" she told him then he clipped the radio to his belt, "ok there a button on the ear peace try pushing it." Kurt put his finger to his ear and pushed slightly, "hello can you hear me" he ask tilting his head to his ear, "good it works" jade told herself, "now on your way to the airlock to the emergency comm. right by for you exit there will be zero-G suits, all you'll need is the air mask and the magnetic boots and gloves" "Ok, call me if anything happen your if Mother awakes up" Kurt told Jade as he run out of the room, "I will" jade called out, but Kurt was already running down the hallway, "we have to tell him soon." Daemon replayed in a low tone "I know and I fear he want take it well."

4. Ch 4 Rescue Party

Ch. 4 - The Rescue Party

It took Kurt nearly 30 minutes to reach the outer air lock near the emergency comm. next to the door were five lockers, all had nearly rusted through. Kurt walked over to the second to last locker which was the most rusted out of the five. With one punch into the lock the locker door fell off its hinges, Kurt jumped back startled by door suddenly felling. Kurt could see in side there was an old suit with a helmet, an oxygen mask, and the gloves and boots had magnetic point on nearly all contact points. He quickly took the gloves, boots and the mask and striped them on. at the bottom of the locker sat two small air tank and a small bag to carry them in, he stared at them trying to figure out how it work, in frustrations he use the radio "Jade I found the gear but the air cans need to be plugged in" Jade took a brief moment before she replied, "Ok on the air canister there is a nozzle, on the mask there should be a small tube on the front." Kurt quickly grabbed the small tube and found the end, "the tube has a nozzle that the air canister slides into, but you need to pull the slip on the tube nozzle for it to fit in." as Jade finished telling Kurt how to attach the air canister she returned to what she was previously working on. Kurt was a bit concerned on what she was doing but was pretty sure they were try to tell Mother about the covenant's arrival. He attached the mask to his moth and opened the nozzle of the canister then Kurt pulled on the emergency release to open the airlock, was with a hiss and a doors behind Kurt closed and the outer airlock blow open. Kurt was sucked out of the room

Only a few moments after getting sucked out of the room he slammed in to exposed peace of the ship's hull on the side of the ship knocking the air right out of him. After he caught his breath and regained his bearings, he stood up then reaches down for the boots and pushed a small button on the boots. They made a humming sound before they clapped down to the ground; he then hit a small button on the gloves they also made a humming sound. He reached for the hull, when his hand was near the side the ship it clamped down to the hull. "Dam this have some strength." He tried to pull his hand from the side of the ship but it took more force to disconnect them from the ship. Kurt looked up and thought to himself "Great, I lost a lot of ground" he closed his eyes and started to lift his feet one at a time one after the other for a few moments then remembered something Daemon told him long ago "Kurt, you need to know how to move in high stress areas otherwise you will die, Now do what I tell you." Within a moment witch felt like thirty minutes Kurt. He stepped back to the edge of the exposed hull, took a deep breath and leaped at the wall landing his boot on the wall first and began running up the side of

the ship in a heavy, manner almost like a soldier would if they were in heavy armor and carrying a wounded marine with him. It took Kurt forty seven minutes to reach the top of the ship, and with every step the wind picked up and the air got thinner, ones he was up on level footing he reached in his bag and checked his air canister it was three quarters empty, he placed it back in the bag and began then looked around most of the hull was still in one peace but there were some parts that had been torn up and far past all the damage was a large rise in the hull he then began waking to the to what he thought was a large door.

As he walked across the ship the wind seemed to pick up, but luckily it was blowing towards the doors Kurt was heading too. He stopped when his air seemed to have run out, he keened down and reached in his bag to replace the air canister. after he finished replacing the air canister he hear a strange sound through the roaring wind, he turn his head, off in the distance he saw a figure flying through the air but Kurt didn't recognize it was a purplish figure it seem to be having trouble staying in the air, but the sight frightened Kurt. He began to run for the door as he run he could hear the sound of the strange air craft getting louder he turned his head to see that the purple craft had started heading straight for him, in terror he tried to run faster. The magnetic boots made load clack sounds has he ran. The sound of the craft had continued to grow loader and in terror Kurt dove behind one of the pieces of turn hull. He laid as still as he could if he wasn't breathing heavily he would have seemed dead, when the craft flow over head Kurt sat up and leaned against the hull, he reached to his air canister it had all most been completely emptied "shit I need to calm down" he thought to himself, as he change the air canister he tried to radio Jade and Daemon, after he finished switching his air Daemon answered, "Kurt what's wrong, have you reached the comm.'s doors yet." "No, but there is some kind of air craft in the sky it just flow past me as I hid, and the doors are about 30 meters away" Kurt replayed still out of breath from the panic, "Kurt you need to hurry Jade tried using the scanners and found a UNSC ship in orbit, but we don't think it's going to stick around" Daemon told him, the thought of the UNSC the human military gave Kurt hope that he could still get off world and save Mother her sickness, "alright I'm moving give me a minute." Kurt told Daemon as he began moving to the door, now Kurt could see that he was right in the raised hull was a large door and at the far right corner was what looked like a panel. Kurt quickly made his way through the panel and pulled it open what he saw was a large handle and switches and buttons, "Jade I need help opening this door," Kurt called in to the radio, "Kurt this is Daemon Jade is trying to flag down the UNSC, but you're at the panel right." Daemon asked "Yes," he replied "OK, fellow what I say." Daemon ordered, after a few minutes of flipping switches and pushing buttons, they finally reach to handle after Kurt turned the handle and pulled it as far as it would go the large door hissed and began to open.

The door made a load screeching sound as it opened, Kurt looked for the air craft but couldn't see it anywhere, after the door finished opening a large commutation dish come out, it started to light up and in Kurt wonder to the sight of the large dish Daemon called to him "Kurt get down he we have a problem." Kurt didn't argue he just ran for the side of the ship he came from. As he ran he replaced the air canister he was now on his last air tank. when he reached the side of the ship he jumped and used the magnetic boots to keep to the wall and slow him down as he reach the air lock, the boots grinded against

the ship sending sparks fly behind him. When Kurt reached the air lock he grabbed the edge of the door, but he had missed his mark and now hanging off the side of the ship. He pulled himself up, once he was in side he used the emergency door release to close the door by pushing it in and the door behind him opened. After he turn the magnetic gloves and boots off and took the mask off he raced through the hallways straight for the AI room "Daemon what's going on" the hollered in to the radio, "Kurt head to the armory and get the combat armor and some weapons" Daemon shouted over the radio, Kurt stopped dead in his tracks, they had told him to not go in the armory, "What happened." He asked not wanting to hear the answer, Jade replied in a low tone, "the Covenant is entering the ship and the UNSC won't get here in time, you have to slow them down so the UNSC can get here." Kurt raced to the armory as he thought on how he was suppose to fight the Covenant, when he reached the doors to the armory he was about to tell Jade to open the door when the doors open on their own. He entered the room in the far end on a rack was a black suit of armor, the others were thrown around, on benches waiting for someone to fix them, and weapons sit in the racks across the walls. He walked over to the armor he read about them before an elite unit had worn them they were called ODSTs. there was a manual on how to put the armor on and operate it, he followed the manual and was able to fit the last peace on within 15 minutes he raced to the gun rack, but all the weapon looked alien to him except the handguns the M9 pistols he grabbed two and started to grab ammo and sliding them into ammo holsters

After he finished he was about to leave when he saw three combat blades in a corner near the door. He stared at them; he then holstered his two guns and took the blades holding two and the third he slid into his boot then began to head back to the door to face his newest enemy in hopes in buying time for the rescue party to arrive.

5. Ch 5 Hold the Line

Ch-5 Close To the End

Kurt moved quickly through countless corroders and hallways. he came up to a large room labeled "HANGER BAY 05" he walked through the large doorway he could see that the room was full of old rusted metal boxes and they seemed to have been setup in a way to look like a fort, it even had some big guns setup facing the doors. Kurt moved across the hanger heading to the door across the room, he was almost at the door when he heard heavy foot steps throw the cracks in the walls. Kurt quickly moved to the fort. There had been a door in the middle of the fort but it had fallen off long ago. Once he made it into the fort he turned around to see if anything was there, he found nothing and the door was in sight but still closed. "I need to get there attention, but how?" the asked himself, he looked around and then found a pile of small metal boxes on the upper end of the fort. He quickly made his way to the by jumping and pulling himself up, and ran at the boxes then ramming them off the edge. The metal boxes made loud sounds as each one hit the ground. After the hit the ground Kurt quickly move to a container that had its door open, and he hid inside but he never took his eye off the door. he sat in the container hiding in the shadows he was about to move closer to the edge of the container when he saw a pair of large hands began prying the door to the hanger open.

Kurt could see that the pair of hand had large claws dark skin and was having trouble opening the doors. Kurt closed his eye trying to remember what Jade and Daemon told him about guns mainly the handguns he remembered five years back daemon show him how to use a gun through the holo projector "Kurt, weapons are tools of war, they are meant for killing others that mean you harm." Daemon told him as he projected a picture and a standard MA5A assault rifle, "This is the UNSC's main line rifle" Kurt sat on the floor staring at the image but couldn't keep with the lesson until he pulled up a MA9 pistol and Daemon began telling him about how they could be used for light weight but strong weapons, then Kurt was suddenly interested with the subject, he remembered everything from ammo, to handling, to firing and maintaining. When he opened his eyes the doors were all most opened enough for the creature to get in, Kurt could see it more trying to enter. Kurt could see that they were large humanoid creature covered in a thick layer of dark purple fur, blue armor that covered its body. Kurt carefully studied the creature as it forced the door open. Once it finished opening the door a group walked in the room searching for what made the noise. Kurt counted them as they entered the room, there were thirty three when they were finished entering the room, most of them seemed injured and were bleeding dark red blood. Kurt could tell that they were strong worriers but they where having trouble moving in the high gravity of the planet, Kurt thought to himself "If I going to fight them I should do it soon, and one at a time."

Kurt slowly moved out of the container and moved around the fort, he moved silently and out of sight, looking for an opening, he kept his blades ready to fight at any moment. Finally he found a lone covenant searching the ground floor of the back of the fort, out of sight from the other. Kurt moved quickly and jumped off the edge of the fort's second floor and sunk the two combat knifes in to the creature's neck, and with a twist the humanoid couldn't even scream because its throat was full of blood. Kurt pulled both blades out of the creature, as the blades were ripped out small pieces. The creature made a load thud as it hit the ground, Kurt quickly ran up a wall and jumped off to another wall and pulled himself up. He lay down next to a create awaiting the see more of the creatures, when they finally come they came to see the made the noise. They slowly made there way to the body searching for what killed him behind the group was one of the creatures was in big golden armor. Kurt was caught off guard when he heard the creature ordering the others in English, "Go, find the ones responsible for this and kill them!" then the group ran past the golden one and scattered looking for the killer. Kurt stared at the golden creature that was just standing next to the body, "brother I will find the one who did this and make them suffer." It growled. Kurt still couldn't believe that he could understand what it was saying. Kurt slowly got up and started to head to better cover when he heard heavy foot steps behind him when he turn ready to fight but saw nothing, but he was able to make a something standing a few feet from him, but could not make out make it was. The figure shifted left then as if the air itself exploded a small orange light exploded in front of him and he was thrown back as his armor was shredded, most of his chest plate was gone and his right shoulder piece was now hanging by one stripe.

Kurt was thrown across the floor almost falling off the fort, he tried to get up but fell down to his knees in pain as he tried to take in a deep breath, he looked up to trying to find what attacked

him but what found was not what he expected, there was a distortion that seemed to be in the form of a humanoid figure. The figure appeared as if reality bent around it, the figure was one of the others but this one was in some strange gray armor and the head peace had a red dot in the center. The creature held a small gun in its hand, it had a revolving center and a large blade on the handle, and the whole thing looked like a small alien revolver, shotgun hybrid. Kurt stared in fear as the creature laughed at him and the others started heading over to see what was happening. Kurt tried to grab his weapons that lay next to him, but he couldn't keep a hold of them. He notest the rest of the other creatures had arrived and surrounded him, most of the them simply laughed at Kurt as the rest leveled there weapons, the one in golden armor simply stared at Kurt with hatred in it eyes. Kurt mind raced as he tried to think of a way out but he couldn't think of one, but instead a voice appeared in his thoughts, "you need to get up, get up and fight." The voice told him in a dark rough voice, "If you die that means Mother will die, do you what that?" Somehow that snapped Kurt out of his panic, he grabbed his swords and rolled left jumped up as the creatures started to fire, spinning and rolling dogging the incoming fire when he reached one of the monsters he slashed its stomach open and its gut pored out and spilled on the floor. He quickly leaped at the next closest driving his blade though the creature's neck and ripped it out and span around cutting and slashing three others. The group of creatures where shocked to see Kurt cutting them down. Kurt couldn't understand were his strength came from and he was not about to going to question it, he would use this new strength to fight his newest enemy, protect Mother, Jade, and Daemon and hold the line until the UNSC arrived.

Hope you like the story so far chapters are getting harder to work on due to have to get a job and other family issues, if you had ideas you thank would be good for the story tell me and I'll get back to you as soon as I can. (I will place your name your name and part know at the end of the chapter "if you agree") they would be a lot of help with keeping up with the story.

6. Ch6 Troopers Planetside

Ch.6 Troopers Planetside

Kurt spent hours fighting endless waves of the covenant, tore through their forces in a near inhuman fury. Kurt's armor was almost completely destroyed and was barely holding to gather by the straps, daring the battles he had revised many injures that now covered his body and with only bandages to keep him from blooding out. The covenant had managed to push all the way to the A.I. core room, the hallway was filled with bodies many of them had the strange weapons sticking out of their bodies, and due to Kurt using the blades that were attached their weapons. Kurt stood in front of the door trying to save his strength for the fight hoping that Jade and Daemon had managed to get send a message to the UNSC. As Kurt stood in front of the heavy door he could hear heavy footsteps coming closer, as he got ready to face the new waves of covenant attackers a fury of gun fire erupted from the down the hallway. Kurt saw one of the creatures fall from around the corner and hit the ground with a thud; Kurt stared at the body and could see its body was covered with holes that flowed with blood. Confused he stay in an offensive stands as something else started to make its way to him. Kurt looked for a place to hide so he

could get the jump on the approaching force, he spotted a ceiling panel he could hide in and an air vent he could use to get in the hiding spot. He jumped up grabbed the edge of the vent and jumped off the wall and into the opening in the ceiling.

Has Kurt hide he began to hear someone talking but it didn't sound like the others he been fighting. As he lay as still as he could but his injures started to itched and blood started to seep through his bandages. Kurt could he the voice talking to something else "Hey sergeant, what are we here for, the brutes were finished so why are we walking through this scrap bucket" then a deep voice started to speak, "because an emergency S.O.S. was sent from this ship as we were about to leave this system." "Sir with all due respect, the brutes could have sent that." another voice asked, "the S.O.S. held official UNSC codes, now can it!" the deep voice told the other voices, Kurt nearly jumped when he hear the voice say UNSC, as he peered through the opening he jumped through he saw three shadows had something humanoid, they looked human but bulky. Kurt waited as the tree shadow approached Kurt wasn't sure if he should be ready to attack them or greet them. When they finally came in to view Kurt saw that they were Humans, and they were in the ODST armor similar to the one Kurt had on. Kurt began to climb down and the three ODST's stopped and stared as he claimed down from the ceiling panels. Filled with joy knowing at they were from the UNSC and that they could help Mother recover "You came, Mother told me you would one day come." he told the three stunned ODST's as he jumped up and down, "Come I'll open the doors for you, Jade and Daemon have been waiting for you." As Kurt walked over to the door two ODST's looked at their CO, "Hmm, kid do Daemon and Jade look like the rest of these thing" the man in the middle ask, "No they look like us, why?" Kurt asked as he turned and looked straight at the ODST.

"OK, I'm just paranoid when it comes to the covenant" he replayed as he looked closely at Kurt's armor, "hold up, how are you standing?" the other two ODSTs looked at Kurt as well and took one step back. Kurt looked at the bandages as then dripped in blood, "It's not that bad you should have seen the time I first when hunter big game" he said in a more humorist tone, "no your armor, it doesn't have an exoskeleton." The one of the ODSTs called out, Kurt looked at what was left of his armor and then at their armor, he notes they had metal plates and joints under the outer armor, "why are you using those, the big covenant aren't that heavy" the three troopers stood staring at the young human "Ok maybe Daemon and Jade would like to leave." The middle ODST said, Kurt simply smiled and turned to open the door but could hear the ODSTs whispering. Kurt pulled a lever next to the door and the doors shot open half way, Kurt had no problem making it through door way but the large ODSTs had trouble and couldn't make it through. Kurt watched as the ODSTs tried to force the doors open completely and he laughed quietly. One of the ODSTs notes Kurt laughter "you mind helping us?" he barked, Kurt didn't answer he walked over to the doors and placed his hands on the edges of each door, the three ODSTs had taken one step back to watch Kurt try. Kurt took a deep breath and began to force the door open, slowly and with a load screeching sound. The three ODSTs stood in shock as they watched the young adult open the door they couldn't. As soon Kurt finished opening the door he took one step forward then dropped to the floor, one of the ODSTs walked over to find the young adult had passed out and the injures on his chest and arm have begun gashing blood, "Sir he need medical help or he's going to die." The trooper told his CO. The CO placed his hand near his head and pushed

a small button "This is Lieutenant Fredric O'Neil requesting a medevac for a survivor of the Dawn of Hope"

After thirty minutes the Medevac Pelican arrived, it looked like most other pelicans but this one had been modified for the planet's gravity field. Two ODSTs stood over Kurt as he laid on the ground like a dead body, as the Medevac landed dust was thrown in every direction, to the ODSTs it felt like someone was shooting a large air soft gun at them. The pelican's ramp lowered and team of medics rushed out and headed to the two ODSTs, all of them were wearing an exosuit. One medic stopped in front of them and asked, "Is this the survivor?" his he point to Kurt, "Yes he is." one of the ODSTs answered, then the other ODST added "so far he all we found, and the lieutenant is trying to talk to the ships A.I. to see if there are other survivors." the Medic nodded and follow the other medics who have already taken the boy's body and started to head to the pelican. as the medevac took off the two ODSTs headed back inside the ship, "Hey Robert," one ODST asked, "what?" the other replied, "How do you think that kid survived, the planet gravity field is just too much for anyone." Robert seemed puzzled about that, "I don't know, and he looked young I would say he was only a few years old when this ship crashed." the ODSTs walked thought the ship checking corners and double checking dead brutes as they headed back to the IA core room, when they arrived they found the Ai core room to be in the best condition that they had seen on the ship. "You took your sweet time getting here." Fredric mocked, "Yes Sir but at least we know the brutes are dead." Robert replied the CO held back a smile, the other ODSTs knows he was even through the helmet. "David you have the AI storage unit." The Lieutenant asked, "Yes sir I'll get ready to..." the ODST was cut off by his CO "there are two I.A.s here."

The two ODSTs stood in confusion, "Sir, I thought multiple A.I. couldn't work together?" Robert asked, "normally, yes but these two are fragments of the ships original A.I. so they have been able to work together." Fredric stated, "they told me that that boy is the only survivor and he was raised by them." Robert looked at David then at his CO, "what do we do now Sir?" he asked, "We collect the AI's and the child and pull out before more brute show up." Fredric told them, "by the way did the medics tell you how he was doing" "No Sir, they simply took him and left" David replied. Fredric simply stood there but Robert and David could tell Fredric was nerves. As the ODST's spoke to each other the AIs listened to the troopers speaking, they were able to see what was happening through a single camera behind the projectors when they saw the CO standing still after the other two troopers mention Kurt being taken by the medics without any mention of his condition. In the memory banks the AIs where housed in Jade and Daemon floated in a void of drifting documents, file and codes. They both stared at a thin floating window that displayed the feedback from the camera Jade turn to look at Daemon who eyes where fixed on the window, Jade tried to keep her voice culm, "Daemon something is wrong and I thinkâ€¦" Daemon quickly cut her off "I know I fear a group called ONI maybe here."

Please tell me if you see any errors and thanks for reading this story and leaving the reviews I never that it would go this well as it has.

Plus I've been having trouble write the story, deal with family problems and finding a job so any reviews and idea you that might be good would help (you will be motioned and if you want you can be a

character too)

7. Ch7 ONI's old tricks

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The group of ODSTs stared at each other Robert breaks the silent "You think ONI might be here." David quickly snapped "How could they be here the ships SOS beacon activated soon after we shot down the brute ship, so how could they be here?" "Both of you shut up we don't know for sure, let's get the AIs out and back to the ship then worry about if ONI is here or not." Fredric Barked. Suddenly the room filled with a female's voice "If you don't mind me asking, who or what is ONI." Then a male's voice spoke "we don't have much information on them." Robert and David both jumped, "Holy son of a, was that the AI?" David called out, "that was one of them," Fredric told the two ODSTs, "I thought you would know of ONI you had a few ONI officer abort before the crash, well ONI is the Office of Naval Intelligence, normally they handle sensitive information but they also handle most of the black ops that go on. But they recently became known for the Spartans and how they came to be."

The AIs and ODSTs spoke to each other for half an hour, they finely stop when Fredric com snapped to life "Lieutenant, report wants going on you haven't report in the last thirty minutes." A large dip voice barked. "Sir, this is Lieutenant Fredric O'Neil we've made contact with the ship AIs over." Fredric quickly replied, "come again did you say AI "s" as in more than one?" the man asked, "Yes sir, the main AI died but had fragmented in to two fragments and are they are now running what's left of the ship the ship, and they are stable." "Lieutenant have you lost your mind AI fragments are dangerous, now I am ordering you to..." the man was suddenly cut off by Daemon, "Sir, we can work as well as any other AI and our top priority is the safety and wellbeing of Kurt," "One stay of the radio channel and two why would that be your top priority?" the man asked, "It was the First AI's or "mother" as Kurt know her, it was her last wish before having us locking her away in a small memory chip, until the rampancy was over." Fredric and the other ODSTs stood in shock to the AIs arguing with their captain, "Look even if I may find that noble and all but I don't have the luxury to say yes or no, ONI is here and have taken over the rescue operation."

Three hours later

Deep within a massive medical ship named "Light of Hope" orbiting the unknown planet, a group of doctors and scientists roamed around a large tube filled with a clear blue liquid and Kurt floating in the middle with wires covering his body, a man in a white doctors coat with a ONI logo stood next to a set a screens and read medical scan and reports about the boys condition. As the man scanned over the lines of scrolling text he heard a set of heavy footsteps coming from behind him, he turned his head to see an elite walking up also in a doctors coat. "Ah, you're finally here. Any trouble getting here?" The ONI Doctor asked, "No, but my fleet commander and ship master were not pleased about having to stay away from the planet." The elites replayed as he stared at the floating child. The elites seem confused as to why the child as so important to the UNSC and ONI called them for help, "why am I here, you don't need me, and the location is a bad meeting spot?" the elites stated, the man turn to

see the child, "Your right it is a bad meeting spot, but this child was found on the planet that we are orbiting, and before our troops could get to him he had held off a whole brute platoon, and nearly killed them all." The elites turn to the doctor to see no facial fetors showed he was lying, and then turn back at the child, The elite stared at the child trying to figure out how such a young human could do something like that, "how could a single human child hold off a brute platoon not to mention the planets gravity and being untrained."

"From what we can understand from the ships flight recorder and the black box aboard, the ship is the Dawn of Hope; she nearly got away from Reach Dearing the invasion but was shot down by a Covenant destroyer," the ONI Doctor told the elite as he paused to breath he glanced at the elite to see if he was understanding everything, "After the ship crashed and only a hand full survived, after the child was born the last remaining survivors placed the child in a medical tube much like this one and there the child stayed there until he was grown up enough to move and speak on his own." The elite turn his head and look strait at the doctor, "I thought human infants needs lots of care and attention?" he asked in confusion. The ONI Doctor shifted and lend in to one of the tables next to him "Your right about that but want we have discovered is that he was given a prototype drug that accelerate ones adaptability, and if that is true that means he his adapted to the planet." The elite was not satisfied with the answer, "that may explain how he survived the planet but not as an infant," the ONI doctor didn't seem to pay attention to the elites agitation "the medical tube he was in had modifications that allowed the ships AI or another person to tend to the child as needed, to help that the tube had a Tapper installed." "A what?" the elite asked, "the brain wave tapper or Tapper, it can feed information to a person when there in an unconscious state, so given that and the automated arm in the tube, and several other factures, I thank the child grow up in a tube." The elite grunted and stared at the child again, "so what do you need from us." "We need help on developing a drug to help him survive in standard planet's gravity, and we know that you have experience on similar issues."

The two Doctors spoke to each other trying to find a way to allow to boy to live in Standard gravity, but as they talked to each other a nurse on the other end of the room watching the child's vitals sign noticed the brain activity started to climb, the child was awaking up, the nurse quickly jumped out of her chair and run across the room to the ONI Doctor. "Sir the child is awaking up!" she quickly told him, the doctor and the elites turn to look at the nurse then the child who started to move in the tank, "I thought I told you to keep him under sudation!" the Doctor barked at the nurse, "he is, the drug must be losing affect." The nurse argued. The ONI doctor rapped his hand around one of the data pad in his hand so tightly his knuckles turn white, the elite took a step closer to the Doctor, "we need to get him out of there and talk to him if you want him to stay calm." The Doctor stared at the child as he began to twist and turn, "alright, I want all hand to help move the child from the tank to infirmary NOW!" he yelled to the crowd of doctors and nurses.

The elite took a step forward, "with all that's happened to the child I can't help but wonder, what are you planning to do with the child." "I'm planning on learning what he can do and how he survived on that planet." The Doctor replayed as he watched the others began to move the child out of the tube, "he can't live a normal life with your

people and you know that he's been through too much." The elite stated, "And I guessing you want take him in." the doctor shot back, the elite seemed to not mind the though as it ran through his head, "I'm just saying that your people don't have much experience with such things, and given how the "Spartans" are treated by the general population." The ONI doctor did not argue he knew the Spartans were having trouble in public with people acting as if they are monsters, or outsider. "Well I had two ideas, one we send him to boot camp, so he can go to other world where his "talents" are useful, or we could use him in The Area."

8. Ch8 A World Shattered

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Kurt's mind began to wonder as he began to regain feeling in his body, "what happened, did I die." He though, "No, I was opening a door for the others, who were they?" the voice from earlier from the hanger bay appeared, "those other people was the UNSC, your saviors." "That's right they came were safe now." Kurt was now remembering the events that happened, "wait, who are you?" "I'm you" the voice answered, "I'm your subconscious." "What, I don't understand?" Kurt asked, "I'm a part of you like your emotions and thoughts are a part of you" Kurt had trouble understanding, "so like a guardian angel in a way." "No, think of me as a cloned AI made by a Smart AI." Kurt understood that a smart AI could make a "clone," they were similar as the original but couldn't do nearly as much; they were a shadow of the original. "So you here to help" the voice seemed to be more pleased "Yes, but I can only offer advice." "Why?" Kurt asked, "I have no control over your body, although I can speak to you throw thoughts but I'm limited so you need to be asleep or in great danger for me to speak to you." The voice replayed, "You should be waking up soon." As soon as the voice said that a bright light blinded Kurt, he only see dark figures moving around, when he could make out for surroundings he noticed the room was a large white room with multiple rows of identical beds, and people wearing white coats run around talking to quiet for him understand, at the far end of the room he could see what looked like a black window. He had a bad feeling that something was wrong and that Jade, Daemon and Mother were in trouble.

Slowly Kurt began to twitch his figures, toe, arms and legs to get an idea of capabilities. The whole time he tried to pretend he was asleep but his mind would not stop thinking that his family was in trouble. Kurt suddenly noticed a man walking over to Kurt wearing a white coat but had a strange logo on it. He stopped in front of Kurt's bed "We know you're awake, I came to talk to you." Kurt opened his eyes completely, "where is my family?" the strange doctor didn't seem to show any emotion, "My name is Ryan, and your "family" is in engineering." Kurt began to force himself up back but fell back to his bed when his whole body surged with pain, "Please don't try to move you're still recovering." Ryan told Kurt as he tried to help him lay back down, "their getting checked out to make sure they're in good health." Kurt eyes widened and nearly shot out of his bed, "what about Mother, is she alright?!" Kurt asked as more pain surged though him and fell back into the bed, "Take it easy, I don't know about "Mother" yet but Jade and Daemon are alright" Ryan answered hoping to culm Kurt, and it worked. Kurt began to lay in the bed more culm. Ryan reached in his coat packet and pulled out a small black disc

with a gray button in the middle, "If you need anything, push this button or shout doctor." He said as he placed the device in Kurt's hand, "One more thing, later we'll have to give you a shot, so you can adjust easier to our environment, don't worry it not going to hurt." Kurt's mind eased after hearing Jade and Daemon where doing well and that Mother was getting help.

Ryan made his way to the door at the far end of the room, when he entered the room the elite sitting in a chair and watching Kurt and glanced at Ryan as he walked in than back to Kurt, "Good idea, setting the room to the same gravity as the planet." Ryan walked over to a chair "sure, but this environmental suit is itchy." He began to take his coat off reviling a thin exoskeleton environmental suit. "How long will it be until the serum is ready?" the elite turned away from the window to stare at Ryan, "My ship master is sending a messaging to our Fleet Master asking for the adapter." Ryan was pleased, "Any idea how long â€¦" the elite cut him, "it's not meant for humans and the Fleet Master not simply going to hand over a full doss so I be ready to hand over something in return." Ryan was irritated he didn't like how thing were turning out, "fine but I can't give any secrets or high level technology." The elite stood up and walk over to the door and stopped before exiting the room "why don't you tell him and are you sure but the adapter, you should know it might not work." Ryan stood there like a statue "yes, you're right but it the best chance he has."

Kurt laid in his bed for what felt like days, he tried to sleep but his mind wouldn't stop thinking about want could be other side of the door what kinds of worlds there are and did Earth really look as beautiful as the photos he collected, his mind drifted into thinking of his family, how was Daemon and Jade doing but he wanted to know if Mother was alright. He couldn't help but think on how bad she could have got as she slept for all those year, then he thought to himself when she wakes up we have to celebrate and she needs to catch up on all the birthday she missed. The thought made him smile; he began to think of all the jokes and adventures he had to tell her. As he was thanking heard a click sound then Daemon voice filled the room, "Surprise, how's our little savoir, what's this we laying down on the job get up." "Daemon give him a break he needs rest," Jade argued, Kurt was astatic to hear them again; "you two seem to be alright." He said as he sat up in his bad trying to ignore the pain as best as he could, "don't hurt yourself it alright." Daemon told Kurt, "I probably wouldn't need to if you had come out and show how it is done." Kurt replied as he relaxed was he leaned against on the bed frame and the wall, "Ha ha, I would have if I wasn't keeping your flanks clear." Daemon laughed, "Boys, can you ever go a day without trying to outdo one another." Jade joked, "I guess it can't helped, you and your boys got nothing better to do.

Three laughed and joked with each other for hours until Kurt asked "How is Mother doing?" Jade and Daemon went silent, several painfully silent moments went by "Kurt." Jade said fallowed by Daemon, "She was too far gone when she arrived." Kurt's world suddenly came to a grinding halt, "what do you mean to late." "Kurt, Mother is gone, she wasâ€¦ there was nothing they could do." Jade told Kurt in a low tone full of pain and misery. Kurt could feel his entire world shatter; he sat motionless as his mind flooded with the memories of Mother and all he has done to try to save her. Jade and Daemon looked at each other in the ship memory bank as the Light of Hope's AI floated far away checking report and maintain systems, "Do you think we should

have lied." Daemon asked, "No, he would have found out at some point."Jade replayed Daemon stare at camera feed of Kurt sitting in his bed motionless like a piece of lifeless stone.

Wanted to thank the person the pointed out a Major typo, Area Is Arena. I would put their name but it was a guest review, but thanks for pointing that out and I'm sorry for missing that

9. Ch 9 Never Forget

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Kurt didn't move for weeks, he lay in his bed motionless. On the other side of the ship Ryan sat behind a large desk, he was reading several data pads and had a video feed of Kurt as he lied in his bed, "He's not getting any better." Ryan thought himself. Ryan heard knocking on his door, he called them in. Two guards walked and an Elite in purple armor and a long purple cap walked in behind them. Ryan quickly stood up, "Fleet Master, I didn't know you were aboard." The Fleet Master walked over to the window overlooking the planet, as several ships flew to the and from the planet. "I came to ask about the child you're so interested in; you've went through a lot of trouble to get the adapter for him." Ryan was shocked to see the Fleet Master in his office and asking about the Kurt, Ryan cleared his throat "He's an interesting person and his abilities could be very useful." The Fleet Master turned away from the window, "With respect, ONI never has a plan that's simple." The Fleet Master stared straight into Ryan's eyes, "So what do you plan to with the child?"

Ryan was surprised an Elite cared what humans did with our own, "I'm surprised you care what we do with him." The Fleet Master didn't seem to react to Ryan's comment, "I'm not sure why but he reminds me of a friend of mine." The Fleet master said as he turned to stare at the planet, Ryan wasn't sure how to react to what the Fleet master comment, "Alright, right now he's in a state of isolation." The fleet master turned to stare at Ryan, "What do you mean?" Ryan sat I his chair and picked up a data pad and reed a his report he was going to send to Earth, "three weeks ago he awake despite being under medication and later his "family" or AI fragments that act as his family, told him the closest thing he had to a parent he has ever had is dead." The fleet master turned back to the window, "I think I know someone who can help you get him out of the state he is in." Ryan looked up to the Fleet master, "You know someone who can help him?" The Fleet master stood for a moment before answering, "yes I do, She has been through a lot in her life. So maybe she could help him out of it." Ryan wasn't sure what to think about this turn of events but was willing to try, "alright, let's see you your friend can help,"

After two day Ryan sat in his office wounding if the fleet master's friend could help, Ryan simply hoped the elite whoever she is would get Kurt out of his isolation. As he thought his phone rang, he picked up the phone answer, "yes what is it?" A man replied, "Sir the fleet master and his guest are here and wished to meet you at the lower portside medical wing." Ryan gripped his personal data pad and headed out of the room. He headed throw hallways and had to take two elevators to reach the lower portside medical wing. When he arrived he was surprised to see a section three ONI officer talking to the

Fleet Master, he was allow surprised to see the fleet master friend was in red armor, and they both had translator around her neck. Ryan straightened himself and walk to the ONI officer, "I was unaware that ONI sent another officer here or that section three had any interest." The officer turn to looked Ryan, "normally we wouldn't be with in survivors of ship crashes, but this ship had same agents aboard that were carrying sensitive information and the child has some traits that interest us."

The ONI officer explained how the child's blood tests showed his as tresses of the Spartan augmentation process and section three what's to know how this is possible. The fleet master was concerned about this but stayed now task, after a few minutes talking agreed on how to approach the situation and how to use the adapter. The first step would be getting Kurt out of his isolation state. Ryan looked at the fleet master "I hope your friend can help him." The fleet master turned to the other elite, "you remember what I told you." The elite looked at the fleet master "yes I'm here to get him out a state of isolation." The ONI officer nodded and walked out of the room, "I'll leave so you a work without any distractions." Ryan fallowed the officer out of the room, the fleet master was about to head out as with the others, "I called you here because he's trained himself all his life in the hopes of saving a member of his family only to learn that she had died, and you had to deal with a similar experience, I have faith in you." After every one left the elite walked the observation room, the room was empty with a microphone on a panel in the middle of the room. She walked over to the microphone; there was a single button under the mic. She thought about why her cousin would needed her for this, but she was grateful for being called off world for anything even if it small things, she then cleared her throat as got ready to speak to Kurt.

"Hello, my name is Rha' Grioto I've heard you came from the planet below." She said into the mic, Kurt didn't move. Rha watched carefully "I heard about your fight against the brutes," Kurt still didn't react, Rha continued, "I know how it feels to work so hard for so long and only fail at the end." Kurt reacted the comment and turned is head to face the window on the far end of the room. Rha was surprised she gone a reaction so quickly. She decided to push on, "I was told you fight hard and killed many of the brutes, for a family member." His eyes fell to the floor and tears began to form, "you say you know how I feels, have you ever got up every day waiting of others to come and take you see other worlds and save to your mother, only to find out if was for nothing that they couldn't do anything and she died anyways." Rha stared at him not sure on what to say, but she knew she had to keep going before he lock up again.

A few hours went by as Rha tried to get him to get out of his isolation, for most of the time it went back and forth but she finally got him to start talking on his own and not just in replaying to her comments or questions, now Rha wasn't sure want to talk about everything she had thought about earlier was used, "I've done most of the taking, why don't you ask me something?." She asked, Kurt hesitated on replying but finally replied, "How are the other worlds, I've only seen them through pictures I found hidden back home." He looked at the window waiting for a response. She thought about the other worlds she's been to, she had only left Sanghelios to take special training, and she then told him "I've never had to think about that before, I would say they each have their own beauty." Kurt thought about that for a while as she explained some worlds she'd

been to.

Kurt realized he was sitting up was leaning over to the bed and almost fell out of the bed, he pushed himself back so he would not fall, His mind rushed with questions he wanted to know, "I have a question." He said I a low voice, Rha focused on Kurt, "what is it?" He took a second to reply, "Mother told me about the war." He posed for a second to see if Rha replied, "Is the war over or am I going to have to fight?" he asked, Rha was caught off guard with that question. She didn't know how to answer the question; the Elites had a different experience with the war then the humans. She thought on how to answer and finally replied, "The war is over, and in the final days of the war the elites were betrayed by the brutes and in the mist of this the human and elites worked together to defeat the brutes." Kurt thought to himself trying to recall what elite were, "are the elite good guys then?" he asked as he tilted his head. Rha's mind raced, "he really doesn't know anything outside that planet." she thought it herself then answered, "yes, and they are an honorable race of warriors."

Daemon and Jade watched the elite speak with Kurt and were wiry about letting a former covenant member speak to him, but didn't do anything because Kurt was finally out of his depression. "You think, we should say something" Daemon asked Jade, "normally I would say yes but this time is different." She replied, Daemon wasn't liking have the elite speak but did understand what Jade meant, so he just crossed his arms and bit his tongue. Jade watched the elite carefully trying to figure out anything about the creature. Meanwhile in a room only a few walls away Ryan, the fleet master and the ONI officer watching how Kurt was acting through a camera, "she's finally got him talking on his own, that's good." The ONI officer said, Ryan didn't respond his simply typed notes in to his data pad, The Fleet master eyed Kurt watching his reactions, he thought the child it doesn't seem to be like the other human he met, who have shown little emotion around elites and did what they could to minimize their time with them. "He has gotten better, much faster than I thought he would." The other nodded in agreement "what will happen now?" Ryan looked at the fleet master, "first some tests to see what he can do physically then I think he would be useful in the Arena."

10. Ch 10 A New Home

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For the next few days Kurt talked to Rha, but never got to see her, and the several doctors and gave him a shot then were checking up on him asking how he felt, and took blood simples. I only thing Kurt notice was he felt lighter and at time dizzy. One day Kurt finished with his daily visit from the doctors and Rha told him that she had to go back home, Kurt didn't what his first friend to leave, "Why do you have to leave?" Rha, took a minute to answer, "My father want to see me and he's not where you're going so I have to go" Kurt felt heavy suddenly, "please don't go your first friend I've made." She wasn't sure how to responded, she never had someone call her a friend, "I have to go, but I'll make you a promise, if you work with the doctors here and try to be nice to others, I'll come visit you, ok" Kurt smile widely and said, "Ok, I promise I'll be good."

After she left Kurt kept his promise and worked with the doctors and

soon they stopped coming, and in boredom Kurt started to walk around in the long room, he quickly realized he was almost running across the room, after he finished walking he felt like make a fort out of the beds. He easily picked them up and moved them with almost no effort, it took him only a hour to finish his fort he then crawled in and falling asleep. When finally Ryan walked in the room he instantly noticed the fort, "what did you do?" he walked over to the fort after not getting an answer, he searched for a way in and found a small opening, "don't try anything." He said as he crawled in the fort. He found Kurt sleeping on several mats that were laid out as the floor. Ryan barely had enough room to sit up, as he shook Kurt awake, "what did you do all those beds?" Kurt slowly wakes up "I made a fort," Ryan shook his head "you can't just build forts you know." Kurt sat up and answered, "I know I can't, but the doctor stopped coming and walking around got boring, plus it feels like home now." Ryan looked around his fort; it was cramped with bed legs sticking out all over, "this feels like home?" Kurt stretched, "yep, or at least the best I could do to make it like home" Ryan started to understand, "you fell homesick don't you?" Kurt looked at him, "wants homesick?" Ryan wasn't surprised, "homesick is when you miss your home and sometimes you look for something that reminds you of home."

Kurt kept asking Ryan questions, for hours he asked and Ryan answered until of the room intercom a voice interrupted hem, "We're approaching Earth, ETA until reach moons orbit twenty minutes." Kurt got so exited he began to jump up and down, "Kurt culm down, there not enough room for that" Ryan told Kurt as he tried to hold him down "but Earth it's humanity home, I get to see Earth!" Kurt said in an exited voice. Ryan shook his "first you need to put the beds back." "Ahh, fine I'll put them back." Kurt stood up lifting the top half of the fort with him. Ryan was in shock as he watched Kurt move the bed with ease, as if they had no weight. After Kurt finished moving the beds Ryan had to ask, "How can you move those beds so easily?" Kurt looked at him with a puzzled look, "What do you mean, they not heavy." Ryan stood up and tried to lift the one of the beds, but he was able to lift it but had trouble holding it and dropped it, Ryan looked at Kurt and the bed, "It must have been the planet's high gravity, his strength is much high then a child at his age, hell he might be stronger than the average soldier." He thought to himself.

After Kurt finished placing the beds back he looked at Ryan. Ryan was standing next to the door, "before we leave this room there are things you need to know," Ryan told him as he pulled out a small case of his coat's pocket "first you need this these are shot you need to live here, you take one a day every day." He then handed Kurt the case. Kurt held the case looking at it searching it for a way to open it, Ryan pushed a button on the side and it side open and four syringes laid inside, after Kurt looked at them before closing the case Ryan continued "Seconded is stay with me it crowded and there is a lot of people of there." Kurt nodded as Ryan opened the door and walked through. Kurt walked behind Ryan as they walked through long hallways and several door each having guards, the whole time Kurt was looking at everything he could many things looked familiar but most seemed almost alien to him. After what felt like hours they entered a huge room, "this is the hanger were we keep all of the smaller ships." Ryan told Kurt as they walked up to a pelican that had been prepped to take off, Kurt pointed to the ship, "what's thank and why it making so much noise." "That's a ship called a pelican and it will take us down to earth where there are some people waiting for

us"

Kurt walked into the cargo area and sat down, as the men striped him in his eyes darted around looking at look of the different thing in the room, soon two men walked in hold a long cylinder and glowed blue, "what's that?" he asked, Ryan looked at him from the other side of the room, "Jade and Daemon are in there, it will keep them safe as we head down," Kurt wasn't sure why they needed to be in the strange device but he didn't ask and hold on to his harness as he watched the men stripe the cylinder to the ground. Once they finished they walked off the ship as the door closed, a few minutes later the whole ship began to rumble, Kurt grip tightened around his harness to where his knuckles turned white as the room shook and it tried to block out the sound of the engines. The whole time Kurt pressed himself agents the back of his seat trying his best not to scream, when the ship finally stopped moving he heard strange sounds coming from outside, Ryan got out of his seat and walked over and unlatched Kurt's harness. Kurt stood up and tried to listen to the sounds coming from outside, and the door opened. His eyes opened wide at what he saw, large buildings that climbed into the sky flying ships and many other things, all mystifying and spectacular to him. Ryan walked in front and turns around to face Kurt who was still staring at everything, "welcome to Earth." He said as several people walked up behind him "welcome to your new home"

Kurt slowly walked out, all his senses were hit by a fury of sounds and smells. He saw towering buildings that seemed to reflect the sky and there were so many people walking around, he even saw many different flying things soring across the sky." Ryan walk to the group of people and started talking to them, Kurt didn't pay attention he was busy enjoying all the new sights smells and sounds. "Kurt comes here!" Ryan yelled, Kurt turned around and walked over, "what's wrong?" "I wanted you to meet some people." He turns to face a woman in brown paints, white shirt and a brown jacket. "This is Alice, she will teach you about how things work here." He then pointed to two others; one was a woman in a large thick jacket and a large man in blue jean, a black shirt and a thick grey vest. "These two are Linda, and Drake. They will make sure nothing happens to you while you get used it our life style." Kurt looked at Ryan, "Why would I need people to protect me?" Ryan looked down to him, "because there are dangers here that you don't have experiment with. So they around simply going to watch over you" Kurt don't understand but nodded as head. "Alright, let get your setup in your home."

11. Ch 11 Old Habits

Ch. 11 A Uncertain Future

After several days Kurt was given a small house in a military housing area, Alice stop by everyday to teach him how things worked, and Linda and Drake fallowed him everywhere he went. Jade and Daemon were able to stay with Kurt, a small array of projectors was installed and a memory bank. Kurt tried to learn how human society work but struggled to understand most of it. Ryan comes nearly daily to check on him and drop off some food for Kurt. But one day Ryan came to check on Kurt and found he was gone, "Oh, shit, Jade daemon where is he" He shouted, Jade replied, "He's in the park." Ryan shock his head, "The park why is he there?" "He's hunting, you could say old habits die hard" Daemon answered, Ryan quickly stormed out of the

building and pulled out his phone and called Drake after a few rings he answered, "yes" "where are you and why are you not with Kurt!" Ryan yelled at Drake as he got in his car, "Sir please culm down, we're with him and he wanted to go to the park" Ryan stopped and thought for several minutes, "did he tell you why?" Drake sighed, "Yes he keeps saying it feel like home." Ryan shock his head as he began to drive to the park, "I'm coming to you." then he hung up and sped off.

When Ryan drove up to the park he saw Linda waiting for him, he stepped out and walk up to her "where is he?" she stepped aside and "he is near the center, Drake is following him" "show me!" Ryan barked, Linda didn't answer she just started walking deep into park. The deeper they went the denser the trees and vegetation became until it looked like a forest, "I didn't think the park rangers let the park get so out of hand" "the park is divided one half is a public park and the other is a wildlife reserve." Linda replied without looking back at him. As Ryan walked he scanned the environment and just as he was about to ask how much farther when Linda stopped Ryan looked up head and saw Drake franticly searching for something. "Drake what happened, where is Kurt?" Drake quickly turned around, "Sir!" he took one last looked around then looked back at Ryan "I lost him." Ryan's eyes flared in anger "YOU WHAT!" "I lost him when he jumped into the trees." Ryan glared at Drake, "well go find him" he say. Drake quickly turned and run off in to the forest, Linda started to head off to search for Kurt when Ryan stopped her, "find him and bring him back to his house and don't let him leave, got it" she nodded then ran off.

Drake was walking throw the forest for what felt like days, he had came up to the edge of the park twice in his search but he had finally as he was able to scream in anger he saw a foot print in the side of the tree and another higher up and the next to it, he grinned and looked up to find Kurt sleeping high up in the tree with several small animals hanging next to him. Drake took a step back then shouted "Hey get down from there" Kurt didn't respond, Drake tried again and again no response. Drake was about to try again when Ryan called out from somewhere in the forest "did you find him?" drake turned and replied "yes but he is up in the tree sleeping." Ryan didn't replay instead he walk to Drake, when Ryan reached drake he looked up and found Kurt sleeping "how did he get up there?" Drake shrugged "I don't know, it looks like he jump off the nearby trees to get up" Ryan shock his head with a faint smile.

Kurt slowly awoke to the sound of people talking and looked down to see Ryan and Drake talking to each other. Kurt grabbed his kills and jumped down and landed between them. Both Drake and Ryan jump back "AH, don't do that." Ryan said Drake looked at Kurt then up where he was sleeping. Kurt stood up straight and look at Ryan "what are you doing here." Ryan grunted "I came here to find you and take you to meet someone." Ryan tilted his head, "who is it?" Ryan took a deep breath "I can't tell you yet but he is waiting on us." Kurt nodded and as he started walking Drake noticed Kurt was holding four squirrels "where did you get those?" Kurt looked down at his catches "these I found them and I caught them, I guess I haven't got over my hunting habits." He replied smiling and scratching his head. Ryan looked at him "Leave them; you can't hunt like you used to." Ryan told him. Kurt could tell something was wrong, he dropped his catch and fallowed Ryan out of the forest.

When they reached Ryan's car they had found Linda on the way and now they were getting in their car as Ryan told Kurt to get in his car. He started the car and drove off towards the center of the city. After a hour of driving he stopped at a large, he took a deep breath then turned to Kurt, "I need to tell you before we go in there, this man your about to meet is my boss." he paused for a moment to make sure must was understanding him, Kurt was he was looking right at him, "just try not to touch anything please" Kurt nodded. Ryan then stepped out of the car and opened Kurt's door, he was stand at the size of the building and as he was admiring the building two men in black suits walked up to them "Ryan?" they asked and he replied "yes, code is gatekeeper." They stepped aside "He is waiting for you." "Kurt stay close to me" Ryan told Kurt tapped him on his shoulder; Kurt looked up at Ryan "got it." They headed inside where they are scanned and patted down several times but after they finished they stepped into an elevator. When it started moving Kurt clinged to the wall, Ryan looked at him "It's ok Kurt your safe." Kurt continued to cling to the wall until they reached the top floor and as soon as the door opened he darted out of the elevator. Ryan walked in to the room and looked at the man sitting in the center of the room, he was in a gray suit and had short blond hair and was smoking a cigar "You finally showed up." He said in a calm but chilling voice Ryan helped Kurt up "Why did you call us he?" the man smiled "Because it's time for him to start training for the Arena"

Hello everyone I here to say that the next chapter may take a little longer to be posted, things here have been tough and I having little time to work on the story but I will work on it when I can and post as often as I can.

Thanks for reading my story you are awesome

12. Ch 12 Some Hired Help

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Kurt looked at Ryan then at the man seating in the chair "Umm, what is the Arena?" he asked then Ryan looked at Kurt "It's aâ€¦" he looked back at the man as he took another puff of his cigar then finished Ryan's statement "The Arena is a event that happens every year, it is where we fight to the death for glory and honor." Ryan took a deep breath before speaking, "But not known to the public it's to keep tension with the Sangheili down." Kurt was confused to the name Sangheili he tried to think of where he heard it before. After several long seconds Kurt asked "what are sangheigi?" Ryan quickly replied, "no, Sang-he-ili not igi" Kurt looked down at the floor "sorry" Ryan shock his head "Its fine, but Sir we still have half a year and in combat he can hold his own so that cuts down on the time needed to train him." The man didn't move he took another puff "Your right he has some skill but we just received word that several sangheili retired zealots are entering the Arena and there will be more than a match for him" Ryan eyes widened as he started walking around the room mumbling to himself, Kurt look at Ryan then back to the man and in a concerned voice he asked "what are Zealots, and what is going on" the man sighed "basically they are very bad news for anyone fighting them." Ryan stopped walking around the room and looks at the man "you better have a plan to handle this"

The man smiled "I always have a plan." The man stood up, "I what you

to meet someone." Ryan and Kurt watched the man as he walked over to a door on the far side of the room. He opened the door and there was an adult, He was warning black UNSC body armor this red lining under a dark colored duster coat. "This is Sevlon and he will teach you how to handle nearly any weapon and survival techniques." Ryan stared at the man, "Wait, he's use daggers and pistols why train him in so many weapons." The man replied "true. But there are new rules this year and there will be many weapon there that he needs to know about" Ryan quickly became quiet. Kurt looked up at Ryan then at Sevlon still standing in the doorway, he was confused on what was happening "Ryan what is happening." Ryan thought for a moment, "Kurt, my higher ups want to send you to the Arena and fight for humanity." Kurt took a step away from Ryan, "you mean I have to fight again?" Ryan look at Kurt with sadness in his eyes "yes, we need you to stand for humanity." Sevlon shook his head, "kid stop acting like that this is ONI you know how they are." The man smacked Sevlon in the back of the head, "I told you not to speak." he didn't reply he just glared at the man.

Ryan and the man explained to Kurt how the Arena was formed and how it help maintain peace between the humans and the sangheili or "elites", they even told him how they were losing fighter in the arena and there have been talk about war between humans and the elites. Kurt understood what they wanted but he didn't want to fight, "Kurt you do understand what we need you to do." Kurt didn't looked at the ground before nodding and replied "yes but I don't what to fight." Ryan sat next to Kurt to try to comfort him "I know you don't too but we need you to. If not then many people will die." The man shook his head in disappointment and seat down in his chair "I thought you would stand for humanity just like your mother did." He said in a chilling voice. Kurt head shot up "what?" "Oh yes, she was a member of the UNSC and fought to protect earth and I figured you would continue the fight for her." He replied, Ryan stood up about to say something and the man shot a glare at him that stop him cold.

Kurt's mind raced, "mother was a soldier, and she had fought to protect otherâ€¦" Sevlon walked across the room to speak to Ryan "what is going on here?" Ryan leaned over to Kevin, "I can't say much but Kurt has little knowledge on how things work here but his combat skill are impressive" Sevlon looked at Kurt then at Ryan "so what is he a Spartan or something?" Ryan signed "no, but I feel can could fight among them." The man stood up from his chair chasing Sevlon and Ryan to become quiet "Look Kurt I don't have all night are you going to fight or not?" It took Kurt a few moments to answer "y-yes, I'll fight" The room was quiet for several minute before the man smiled and said, "I'm glad to hear you fight, now Ryan help Sevlon get situated." Ryan nodded and helped Kurt up, Kurt didn't speak he just looked at the ground the rest of the day. Ryan handed Sevlon a data pad "sign this." He said, Sevlon sign the form on the pad before handing it back "here now can we please get out of here, I don't like ONI buildings." Ryan handed the pad to an ONI officer then motioned to Sevlon and Kurt to follow, they followed him outside.

When they exited the building Ryan's car was waiting for them with the engine running, "that is a little creepy." Sevlon commented before getting into the car and pulled out a small data pad and started scrolling through pages, Ryan began to drive away and asked Sevlon "why are you really here?" Sevlon looked up from his pad "I'm a mercenary, and I have done more than a few jobs for ONI" Both Ryan

and Kurt looked at him, Sevlon Looked at them "what? They need him to handle some black ops." He paused for a moment "most like so they could deny any involvement or something" Ryan turned in to Kurt's neighborhood "so where do you live merc?" Sevlon didn't seem to notice Ryan remark "I have a ship over in dry dock" "really, who is the captain?" Sevlon smiled "I'm the captain." Ryan wasn't surprised to hear it, "alright I'll drop you off after Kurt." just as he said that he pulled into the drive way. Kurt got and walked into his house and flopped on to his bed. Daemon and Jade watched Kurt, "what happened?" Kurt rolled over looking out his window watching Ryan drive away, "I have to fight in something called the Arena."

Ryan had just pulled into the dry dock and stopped in front a large ship; he didn't recognize the model, "what kind of ship is this?" "It is a fully custom ship called the shadow sword." Ryan looked at Sevlon as he exited the car "I don't care how you got that ship what I need to know is how you plan to train him." "I have a few tricks to help with train him and there is a friend of mine that owes me a favor and he can help with urban survival" "who is your friend?" Ryan asked Sevlon glanced at him "A kid named Kevin. He's smart when it comes to the underground and in street knowledge, so he can help." Ryan shook his head "fine, but if this goes south at all I will shoot you." Sevlon shrugged as Ryan drove off, he then thought to himself "this should be interesting."

13. Story Update (I'm Sorry everyone)

Update

Hey everyone sorry for disappearing on you all my pc broke on me and I got it up and running now so hopefully I can upload more chapters now. If anyone wants to ask anything go head and ask away I will answer as many as I can, also if anyone likes roleplaying message me PLEASE

Again im really sorry for disappearing on you all but im back and working on chapter 12

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